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SUBJECT: ASSISTANT SECRETARY HABIB'S CONDOLENCE MESSAGE  
ON THE DEATH OF PRIME MINISTER RAZAK

1. PLEASE DELIVER FOLLOWING CONDOLENCE MESSAGE FROM  
ASSISTANT SECRETARY HABIB TO FOREIGN MINISTER TENGKU  
RITHAUDDEEN: BEGIN TEXT: DEAR MR. MINISTER: PLEASE  
ACCEPT MY DEEP CONDOLENCES ON THE DEATH OF PRIME MINISTER

TUN ABDUL RAZAK. I HAVE KNOWN HIM AS THE DISTINGUISHED  
LEADER OF YOUR COUNTRY AND AS A WISE AND THOUGHTFUL STATES-  
MAN. WE SHALL MISS HIS VALUABLE COUNSEL. SINCERELY,  
PHILIP C. HABIB. END TEXT.

2. DEPARTMENT HAS NO PLANS TO RELEASE TEXT BUT HAS NO  
OBJECTION IF RECIPIENT WISHES TO SO SO. KISSINGER

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